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Inmate Death at FCI Big Spring

WASHINGTON, D.C.: On October 9, 2020, inmate Glenn Coleman Jr., tested positive for COVID-19 and was immediately placed in medical isolation. He was evaluated by institutional medical staff at the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) Big Spring in Big Spring, Texas, for shortness of breath and was transported to a local hospital for further treatment and evaluation.

On Saturday, October 10, 2020, his condition declined and he was placed on a ventilator. On Wednesday, October 21, 2020, Mr. Coleman's condition improved and he was removed from the ventilator. On Saturday, October 31, 2020, Mr. Coleman's condition declined again and he was placed back on the ventilator. On Sunday, November 1, 2020, Mr. Coleman, who had long-term, pre-existing medical conditions, which the CDC lists as risk factors for developing more severe COVID-19 disease, was pronounced deceased by hospital staff.

Mr. Coleman was a 48-year-old male who was sentenced in the District of Arizona to a 180-month sentence for Sexual Abuse and Abusive Sexual Contact. He has been in custody at FCI Big Spring since November 19, 2015.

FCI Big Spring is a Low security facility that currently houses 920 male offenders.

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